



in light of the level of resources already invested in existing information sharing initiatives, the cost and time involved to build a new infrastructure, and the urgency that some place on implementing some of the recommendations quickly, it appears that a comprehensive information sharing initiative would most likely involve capitalizing on existing resources and working to improve the interoperability of these resources. ... The institutionalization of a chief information sharing position to champion information sharing might also help ensure that agencies do not eventually revert to their previous practices.

Congressional Research Service: Information Sharing for Homeland Security <a href="http://www.fas.org/sqp/crs/RL32597.pdf">http://www.fas.org/sqp/crs/RL32597.pdf</a>.

## Sound familiar?

# JIN Data Exchange (JINDEX)

I have reviewed the Design Document, and provided comment to Online, mainly surrounding the need to precisely define the contents of the Possible Criminal History (PCH) and Court and Criminal History (CACH) queries. I have prepared a two-page handout summarizing the project, which I submitted for posting to the JIN website. It won't be available until the middle of next week. If you would like to see it sooner, drop me a note. I am hoping to circulate a final draft for review and comment next week.

# **Summary Offender Profile (SOP)**

The connectivity problems with AOC continue. Templar is looking for answers from the courts. It appears that there is some further indexing work required on their end.

#### **Electronic Citations**

We posted the request for proposals to the DIS web site on March 21 to design the architecture for electronic citations and automate the Law Enforcement → Courts → Department of Licensing exchange, using the Law Enforcement Suport Agency (LESA) as a pilot. (http://techmall.dis.wa.gov/procurement/procurement.asp?pid=102).

The courts have also issued an RFP for a data-capture application for citations data (<a href="http://www.courts.wa.gov/procure/?fa=procure.opportunities&procureid=64">http://www.courts.wa.gov/procure/?fa=procure.opportunities&procureid=64</a>). We are working together, along with the E-Trip (<a href="http://www.wsp.wa.gov/etrip/etrip3.htm">http://www.wsp.wa.gov/etrip/etrip3.htm</a>) community to coordinate efforts, and met today at the courts.

## **Miscellaneous**

- ▶ I attended a presentation of the COPLINK product, which Redmond PD are using to analyze data. This is in conjunction with the discussion of the Attorney General's SMART application scheduled for the April Board meeting.
- ► I have scheduled briefing sessions for new Board members Harold Clarke (DOC) and Chief John Batiste (WSP).